

Winners of 2011 Utah Original Writing Competition

Novel

1st Place - **James W. Ure**, Salt Lake City, *Skywriting*2nd Place - **Rachel Marston**, Salt Lake City, *How to Speak to God*Honorable Mention - **Shauna K. Brock**, Salt Lake City, *Shadows in the Spotlight*

Biography/Autobiography

1st Place - Lance E. Larsen, Provo, Seventeen Ways to Float 2nd Place - Maximilian Werner, Salt Lake City, Gravity Hill

Collection of Short Stories

1st Place - **Larkin G. Weyand**, Lehi, *All the Pennsylvania Left to See*2nd Place - **David M. Jones**, Salt Lake City, *O'Connor Court and Other Stories*Honorable Mention - **Larry Menlove**, Payson, *Fur or Feathers, the Teeth or Venom*

Young Adult Book

1st Place - **Michelle Renee Stimpson**, West Jordan, *Somalis Don't Say a False Proverb* 2nd Place - **Erin R. Jackson**, Provo, *Banyan Trees*

Poetry

1st Place - **Danielle Beazer Dubrasky**, Cedar City, "The Sand Man" 2nd Place - **N. Colwell Snell**, Salt Lake City, "Withdrawal"

Short Story

1st Place - Lance E. Larsen, Provo, "Ode to Milk"
2nd Place - Adrian E. Stumpp, South Ogden, "Nativity: A Christmas Story"
Honorable Mention - Eirene R. Henderson, Provo, "Burnt Offering"

Essay

1st Place - **Erin R. Jackson**, Provo, "Amputations"

2nd Place - **Dawn Lonsinger**, Salt Lake City, "Consonance"

Honorable Mention - **Mikey Stephenson**, Murray, "Waiting for the Morning Sun to Rise"